

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re The Application of:	)	
Darren Kerr et al.	)	
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

This Amendment after Final Rejection is filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed May 17, 2006. All objections and rejections are respectfully traversed.